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MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

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DESIGN GOALS

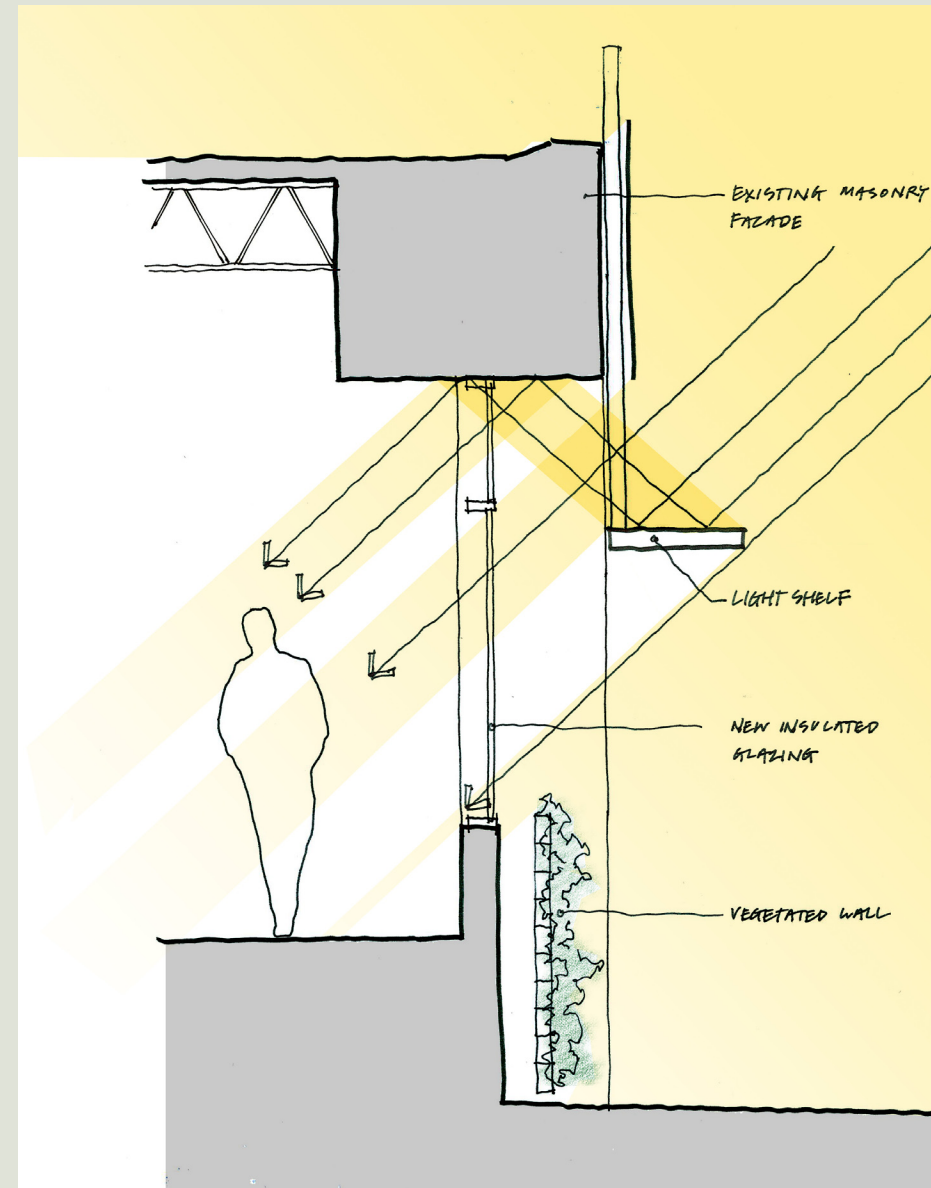
Welcoming & Inviting

Easy to use and understand

Expressive of the 21st Century Library

- A center for community life
- Open & light filled
- Flexible planning and technology
- Sustainable design and construction

DAY-LIGHTING



TRELLIS WALL

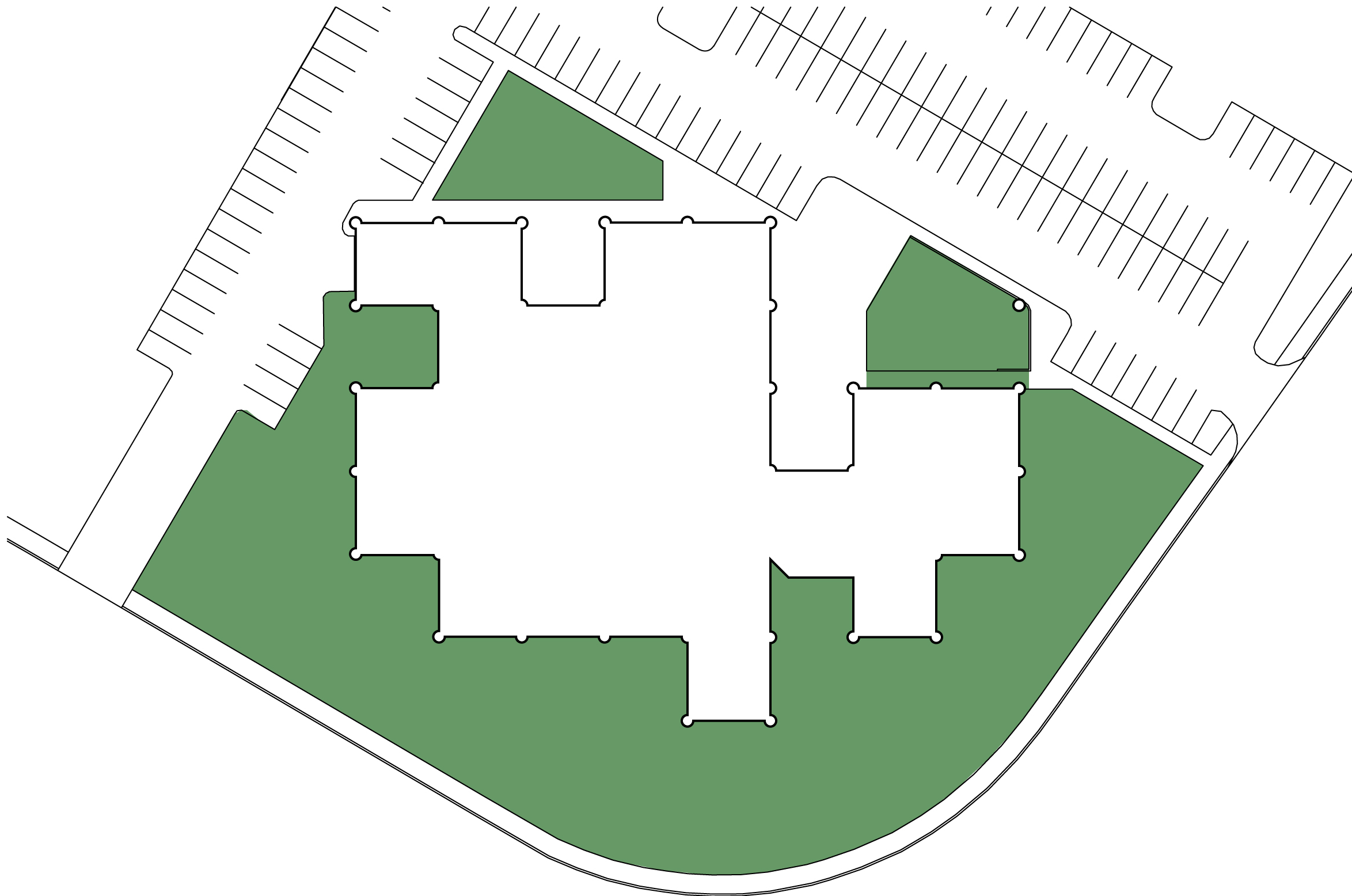


GREEN ROOF

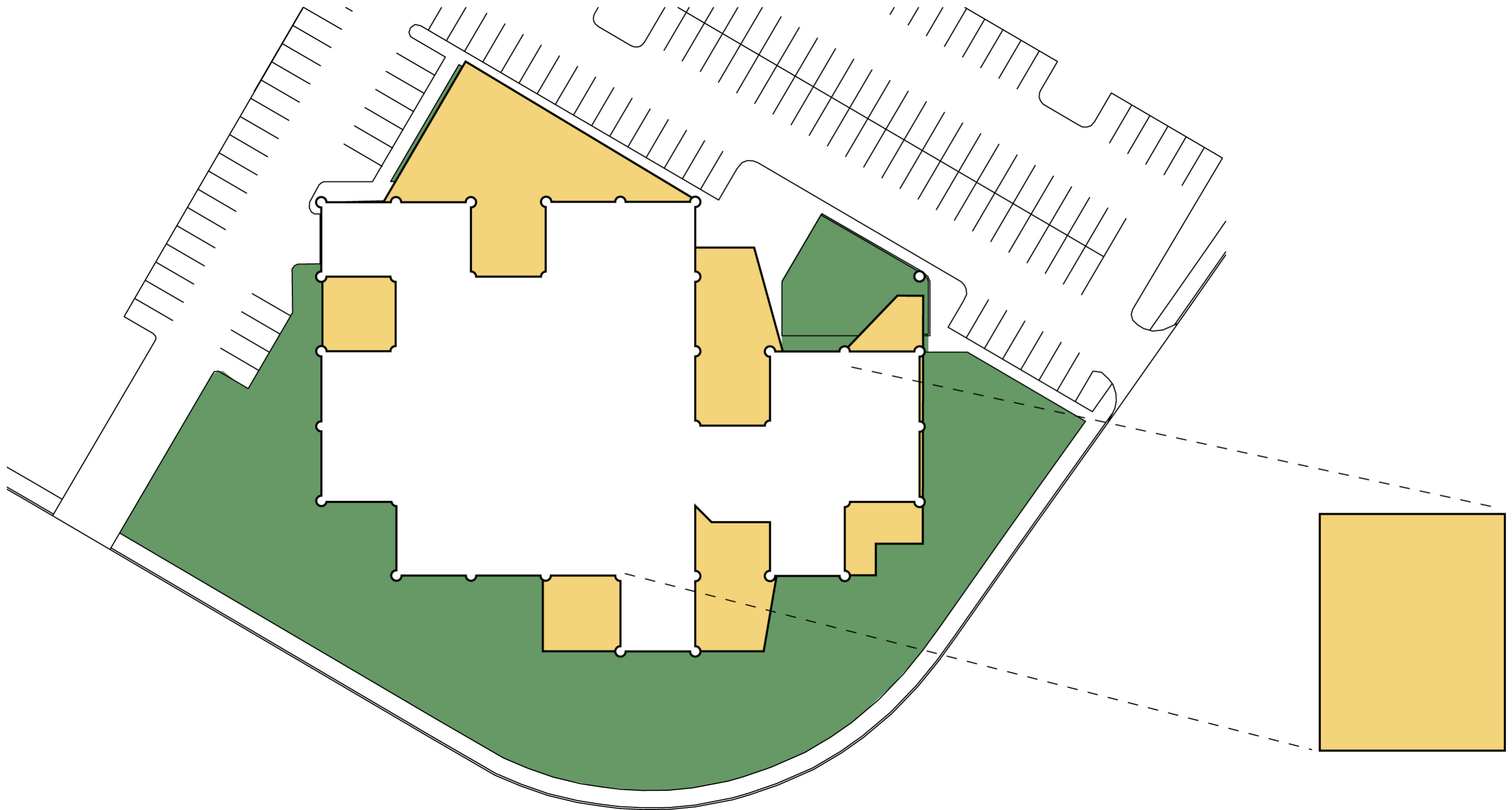


LANDSCAPE





EXISTING AREA - 30,200 SF



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NEW CONSTRUCTION LEVEL 1 - 13,100 SF

NEW CONSTRUCTION LEVEL 2 - 7,500 SF

TOTAL AREA FOR EXPANDED LIBRARY 50,800 SF

EXPANDED LIBRARY - ADDED FEATURES

Additional Reading Area

Gilchrist Center

Language Discover Center

Children's Programming Room

Family Restroom

Additional OPAC Stations

Expanded Teen Area

Expanded World Language Center

Group Study Rooms

Tutor Rooms

Multi-Media Room

Computer Lab

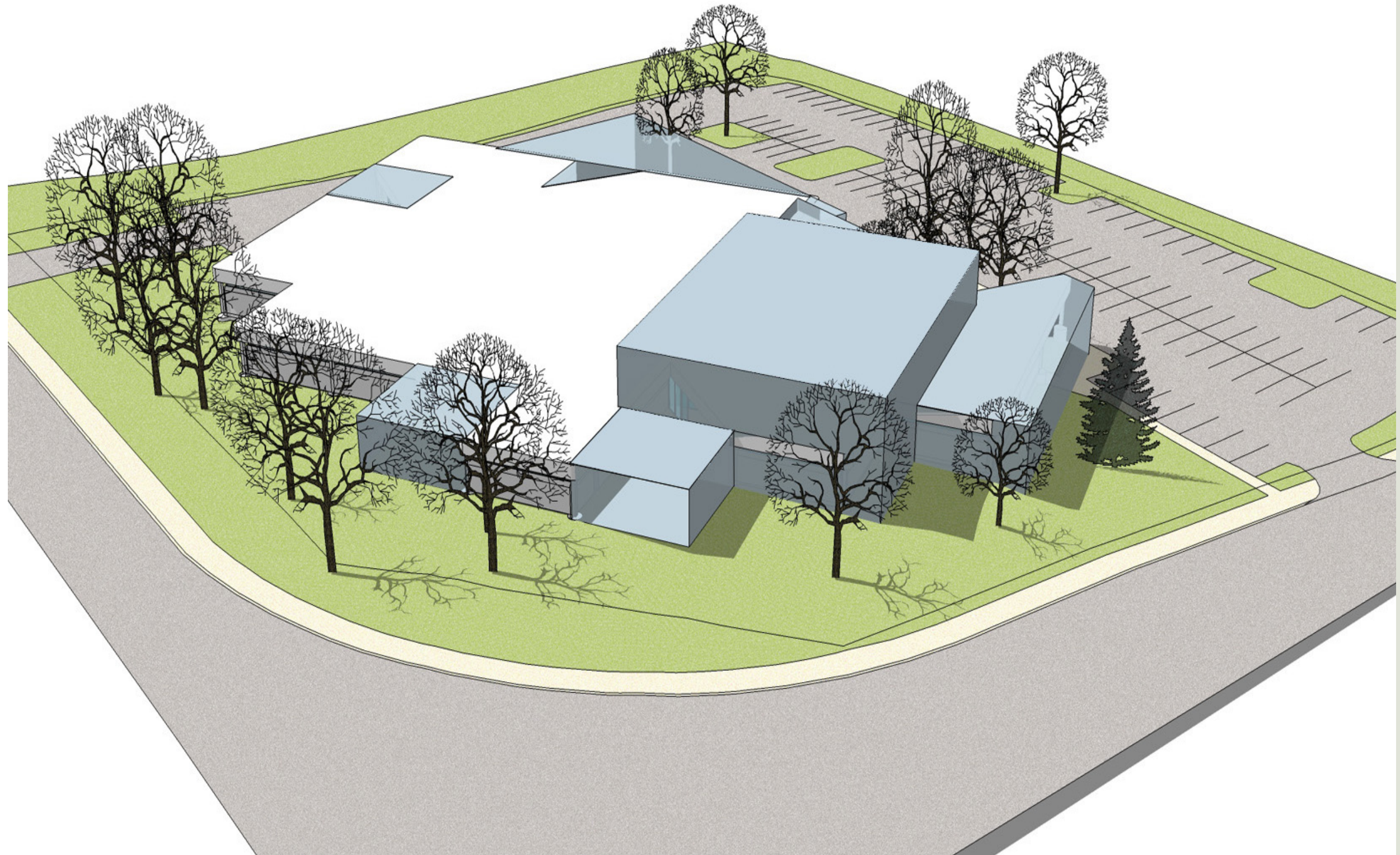
Expanded Café

Drive-up Service Window

Expanded Staff Work Area



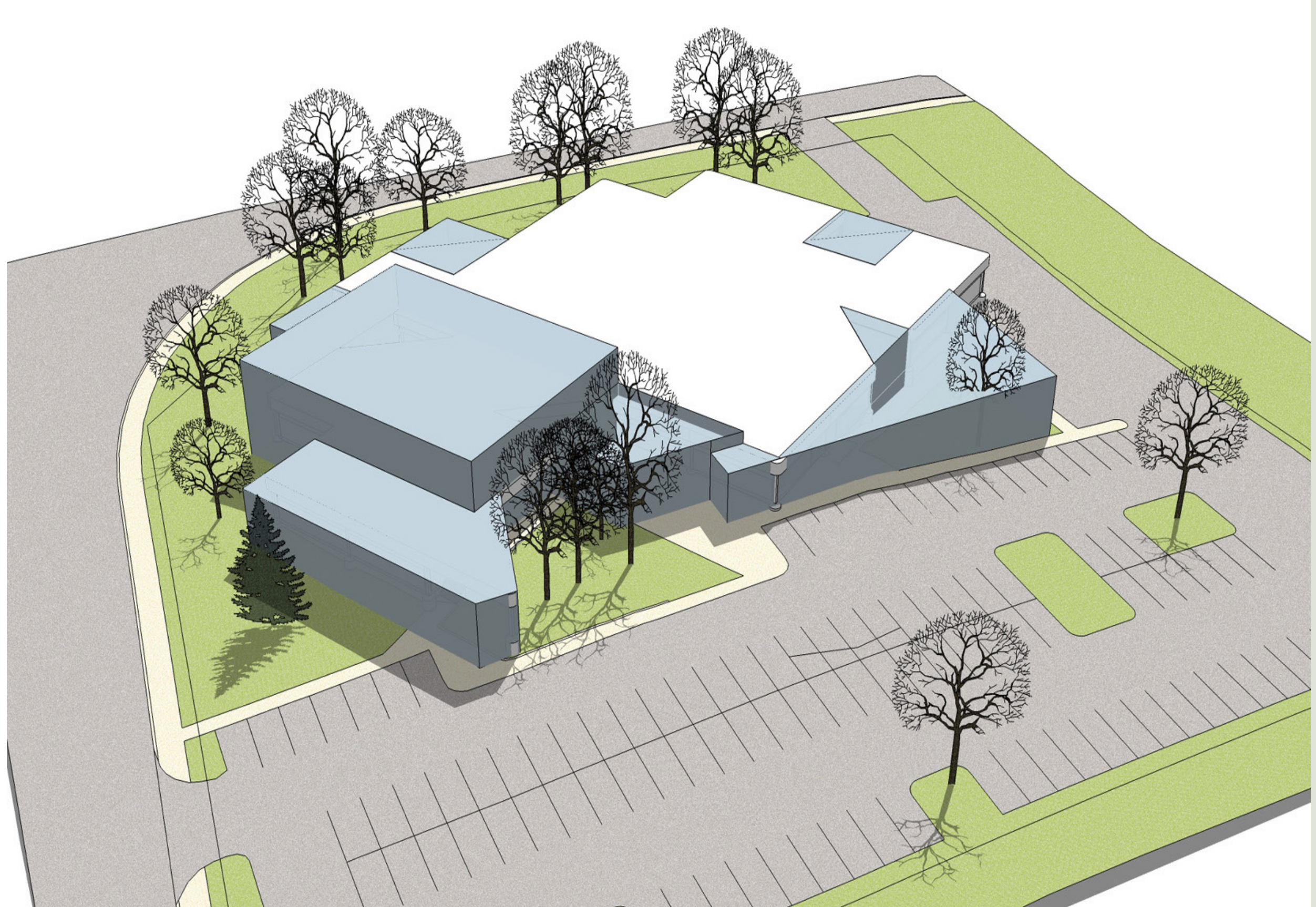
Existing Building Massing



Existing Building Massing with New Additions



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